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Vessel	Date	Activity
		at 1520 hours the same day. She was forced to shelter at Monopoli because of bad weather.
SS SHIPKA (Bulgarian)	13 October 1954	Arrived at Durres from Venice to load 1,000 tons asphalt for Bulgaria and 1,100 tons chrome ore, 700 tons asphalt and 25 tons copper for Czechoslovakia.
SS TRANGILIANTA (Rumanian)	5 October 1954	Arrived at Durres from Varna. Unloaded 18 cases metal cutters, 1.8 tons; 94 bales copper cable, 11 tons; 438 tons rye from Bulgaria; 50 tons sulfuric acid.
	7 October 1954	Left Durres for Varna with passengers and unspecified cargo.
	13 October 1954	Loaded 1.2 tons spare parts for Ajaz- 200 motor vehicles at Odessa.
	17 October 1954	Will leave Varna for Durres with cargo and passengers.
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SS WISLA (Polish)	(?) October 1954	Expected at Durres with 5.7 tons sewing thread, 10 tons zinc chloride, 36 tons paper, 24 tons galvanized sheeting, 18 tons pipe, 94 tons angle iron, 3.9 tons iron wire, .256 tons wool textiles.

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